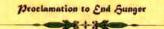


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WHEREAS, eliminating hunger will give all people at all times enough food for an active, healthy life; and

WHEREAS, nutrition assistance services are available in the Miami-Dade area from a network of federal, county, community and volunteer resources; and

WHEREAS, there is a need for all nutrition assistance services, the business community, faith-based groups, and non-profit agencies to form a partnership to work together to eliminate any institutional barriers that prohibit coordinated access to available food and nutrition services by all eligible individuals and households, and to work together with other partners to eliminate hunger for all residents of the Miami-Dade area.

Now, therefore, We, The Undersigned, do hereby proclaim that we will work together collaboratively to develop a regional Plan to eliminate hunger and enhance self-sufficiency of the residents of our state.

IN COMMITMENT THEREOF, we have hereunto set our hand the 30th day of July two thousand and three, Roberto Salazar Virgil L. Conrad Manuel A. Diaz Administrator Regional Administrator USDA, Food and Nutrition Service Food and Nutrition Service, Southeast Region City of Miami 2110 Lillian Rivera, MSN, RN Jennifer Lange Ophella E. Brown-Lawson Administrator, Food Stamp Program **Executive Administrator** Executive Director Mianti-Dade County Health Department Florida Department of Children and Families Miami-Dade Community Action Agency Dr. Robert B. Ingram Samuel Jackson Penny Parham Vice Chair Region Food Service Coordinator, Food and Nutrition Administrative Direct r. Food and Nutrition Miami-Dade County School Board Miami-Dade County Public Schools Miami-Dade County Public Schools Daniella Levine Alexandria Douglas-Bartolone Joanne Olvera Lighter **Executive Director** Executive Director President and Chief Executive Office Alliance for Human Services Human Services Coalition Allegany Franciscan Foundation Harve Mogul Bruce Jay Michael Adair President and Chief Executive Office Coordinator Daily Bread Food Bank United Way of Miami-Dade South Florida Interfulli Committee for Worker Justice Peter W. Roulhac Mary Scott Russell Mitchell Chefitz Vice President Miami-Dade County League of Cities Chair Greater Miami Chamber of Commerce Temple Israel of Gr Jimmy Morales Dr. Steven Marcus Tom Zamorano President and Chief Executive Officer County Commissioner Managing Attorney Mianti-Dade County Health Foundation of South Florida Florida Immigrant Advocacy Center Bobbie Ann Brinegar Ellen Vollinger Diane C. Santoro Coordinator Administrator, Food and Nutrition Management Legal Director I CAN! Help End Child Hunger Campaign Florida Department of Education Food Research and Action Center Debra Susie Bernadette Johnson Executive Director Regional Food Service Coordinator Florida Impact Miami-Dade County Public Schools DAN MCGIZIEI

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